4. Samples of the drugs used in the operation have been taken;
5. Remaining stock of the drugs have been sealed;
6. Surprise checking of the factories supplying the drugs located at Ahmedabad and Vadodara have been carried out; and
7. All District Blindness Control Societies (DBCS) have been instructed to follow strict aseptic precautions to prevent future occurrences of such mishaps.

Misleading claims regarding Dabur Chavanprash

2908. SHRI MUNAVVAR HASAN:
MISS MABEL REBELLO:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Chavanprash sold by Dabur is making misleading claims;

(b) whether it is a fact that Chavanprash contains other than label claims; and

(c) whether Government propose to check the prices of such products?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C.P. THAKUR): (a) Manufacturers of Chavanprash (including Dabur) generally make therapeutic claims which are drawn from the features mentioned in respect of such items in the classical books of Ayurveda.

(b) Dabur Chavanprash is a Patent Proprietary Ayurvedic Medicine. The manufacturer has informed that Chavanprash contains the ingredients mentioned on the label.

(c) Ayurvedic medicines are not under price control.

National Ayurvedic Hospital at Sarita Vihar, Delhi

2909. SHRIK.M.SAIFULLAH:
SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA:
SHRI NANA DESHMUKH:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is a proposal under Government's consideration to^et up a state-of-art National Ayurvedic Hospital at Sarita Vihar, Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof, indicating the specialized Ayurvedic treatment likely to be made available at the proposed Ayurvedic Hospital; and